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Attorney Docket No. 40582.00300

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Richard Beliveau *et al.* ) Confirmation No. 7191  
Application No. 10/595,819 )  
Filed: November 30, 2006 ) Art Unit: 1657  
For: Use of Strains of Lactobacillus and ) Examiner: Vera Afremova  
By-Products Thereof for Inhibiting Formation )  
of Blood Vessels )

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

This paper responds to the Office Action, dated February 19, 2010, time for response to which expired May 19, 2010. An extension of time of two months is filed concurrently, thereby extending the period of response to July 19, 2010.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.